## **DEBTS WIPE OUT** DR. ENO'S ESTATE

Brother of Amos, Whose \$ \$15,000,000 Will Was Contested, Lost in Realty.

FIFTH AVENUE HOTEL PART OF HERITAGE

Appraisals Show He Lost Heavily in Erecting Office Building on Site.

Dr. Henry Clay Eno, brother of Amos F. Eno, whose will, disposing of an estate valued at about \$15,000,000. was contested in the Surrogates' Court a few days ago, was not as fortunate in his investments as his brother. He dled insolvent on July 16, 1914.

The brothers were sons of Amos R. Eno, and each received a share in the

Dr. Ene received as part of his share the property on Fifth Avenue, extending from Twenty-third Street to Twenty-fourth Street, on which formerly stood the Fifth Avenue Hotel and the Madison Square Theatre. Dr. Eno had these buildings torn down and erected the Fifth Avenue Building. In the enterprise, the transfer tax appraisal of his estate filed yesterday shows, he lost the greater part of his fortune. He owned 12,000 shares of the Fifth Avenue Building Company, with a par value of \$100 each, or \$1,200,000. In his testimony in the transfer tax proceed-ing Henry Lane Eno, a son, said he re-garded these shares as worthless.

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The Fifth Avenue Building Company was indebted to Brown Bros. & Co. to the extent of \$1,000,000 on notes which were indorsed by Dr. Eno and his son. The loans were secured by a second mortgage on the Fifth Avenue Building.

A net value of \$202,012 was placed on the New York assets of Dr. Eno by the appraiser. Dr. Eno was a resident of Westport, Conn. The assets taxable in New York are residence at 8 East Sixty-first Street, appraised at \$135,000; premises 17 East Sixtieth Street, \$110,000; contents of residence, collection of books and prints and a collection of book plates, \$51,000, and silverware, \$300. All of the New York realty owned by Dr. Eno and some of his personalty was conveyed by him to Brown Bros. & Co. as additional security for notes. This property was placed with the United States Trust Company to be held until the notes were paid or the property was sold. All the money thus raised by Dr. Eno was used to carry the Fifth Avenue property.

Debts More Than Estate.

Debts More Than Estate. Since the death of Dr. Eno realty owned by him at Bar Harbor has been sold for \$140,000, the proceeds being applied to the payment of the notes held by Brown Brothers & Co. An item that was not taxed was a bond for \$187,000 made by Joseph J. Ash, secured by a second mortgage on the Ash Building at Washington Place and Greene Street, where a fatal fire oc-Ash Building at washington rince and Greene Street, where a fatal fire occurred a few years ago. This bond and mortgage were assigned to Henry Lane Eno at the request of the son and also because Dr. Eno was a friend of Mr. Ash and did not wish to press the claim. It was finally settled for \$240,000.

Among the personal effects was a "United States marine permit," signed by Thomas Jefferson, valued at \$250; a color print, "Bloody Massacre," originally engraved and sold by Paul Revere," \$250; a rare edition of Benjamin Franklins works, 1768, \$250, and several paintings, including a parties. several paintings, including a marine canvas by Van der Heyden, appraised at \$650, and a panel by Van Elben, seon

Henry Lane Eno was the beneficiary under his father's will. The debts of Dr. Eno amounting to more than the estate, there will be nothing for the son. The latter is also a legatee under the will of his uncle, Amos F. Eno, and is one of the nephews contesting his

### CHARITY CONFERENCE MAY 10 3

Correction Meeting Will Be Held in Indianapolis.

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The executive committee of the National Conference of Charities and Correction yesterday decided to hold the 1916 conference in Indianapolis from May 10 to 17. Development of social service work in Latin-America by the conference, through investigation and propaganda, was approved by the committee.

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Among those at the meeting were Judge Julian W. Mack and William T. Cross, Chicago; the Rev. Francis H. Gavisk, president of the conference. Indianapolis, and Ernest P. Bicynell, of the American Red Cross, Washington.

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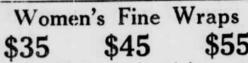
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